

UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL <i>(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 1.53(b))</i>		Attorney Docket No.	11520.0new
		First Inventor	Alexandridis, et al.
		Title	Recovery of Liquids From Absorbent Packaging Materials
		Express Mail Label No.	EJ276130417US

APPLICATION ELEMENTS <i>See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents</i>		Mail Stop Patent Application ADDRESS TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450	
1. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fee Transmittal Form <i>(Submit an original, and a duplicate for fee processing)</i> 2. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. <i>See CFR 1.27.</i> 3. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Specification [Total Pages / 21/] <i>(preferred arrangement set forth below)</i> - Descriptive title of the invention - Cross Reference to Related Applications - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R&D - Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix - Background of the Invention - Brief Summary of the Invention - Brief Description of the Drawings <i>(if filed)</i> - Detailed Description - Claim(s) - Abstract of the Disclosure 4. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Drawing(s) <i>(35 USC 113)</i> [Total Sheets / 4 /] 5. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Oath or Declaration [Total Pages / /] a. <input type="checkbox"/> Newly executed (original or copy) b. <input type="checkbox"/> Copy from a prior application <i>(37 CFR 1.63(d))</i> <i>(for continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)</i> i. <input type="checkbox"/> DELETION OF INVENTOR(S) <i>Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).</i> 6. <input type="checkbox"/> Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76		7. <input type="checkbox"/> CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Computer Program <i>(Appendix)</i> 8. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission <i>(if applicable, all necessary)</i> a. <input type="checkbox"/> Computer Readable Form (CRF) b. <input type="checkbox"/> Specification Sequence Listing on: i. <input type="checkbox"/> CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or ii. <input type="checkbox"/> paper c. <input type="checkbox"/> Statements verifying identity of above copies	
ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS			
9. <input type="checkbox"/> Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s)) 10. <input type="checkbox"/> 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement <input type="checkbox"/> Power of Attorney <i>(when there is an assignee)</i> 11. <input type="checkbox"/> English Translation Document <i>(if applicable)</i> 12. <input type="checkbox"/> Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 <input type="checkbox"/> Copies of IDS Citations 13. <input type="checkbox"/> Preliminary Amendment 14. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) <i>(Should be specifically itemized)</i> 15. <input type="checkbox"/> Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) <i>(if foreign priority is claimed)</i> 16. <input type="checkbox"/> Nonpublication Request under 35 U.S.C. 122 (b)(2)(B)(i). Applicant must attach form PTO/SB/35 or its equivalent 17. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other: <u>Check for \$411.00</u>			

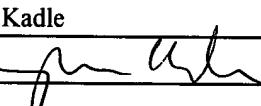
18. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box and supply the requisite information below and in a preliminary amendment, or in an Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76:

Continuation Divisional Continuation-in-part (CIP) of the prior application No: 09/866,169

Prior application information: Examiner: Joseph W. Drodge Group/Art Unit: 1723

For CONTINUATION OR DIVISIONAL APPS only: The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which an oath or declaration is supplied under Box 5b, is considered a part of the disclosure of the accompanying continuation or divisional application and is hereby incorporated by reference. The incorporation can only be relied upon when a portion has been inadvertently omitted from the submitted application parts.

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FEE TRANSMITTAL

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Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

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First Named Inventor	Alexandridis, et al..
Examiner Name	
Group/Art Unit	

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METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply)

FEE CALCULATION (continued)

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to (check all that apply)

Charge fee(s) indicated below

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3. ADDITIONAL FEES

Large Entity	Small Entity				
Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
1051	130	2051	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	\$
1052	50	2052	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	\$
1053	130	1053	130	Non-English specification	\$

FEE CALCULATION

1812	2,520	1812	2,520	For filing a request for <i>ex parte</i> reexamination	\$
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1. BASIC FILING FEE

Large Entity	Small Entity				
Fee Code (\$)	Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid		
1804	920*		1804	920*	Requesting Publication of SIR prior to Examiner Action
1805	1,840*		1805	1,840*	Requesting Publication of SIR after Examiner Action

1001 750 2001 375 Utility filing fee

\$375	1251	110	2251	55	Extension for reply within first month	\$
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1002 330 2002 165 Design filing fee

\$	1252	410	2252	205	Extension for reply within second month	\$
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1003 520 2003 260 Plant filing fee

\$	1253	930	2253	465	Extension for reply within third month	\$
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1004 750 2004 375 Reissue filing fee

\$	1254	1,450	2254	725	Extension for reply within fourth month	\$
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1005 160 2005 80 Provisional filing fee

\$	1255	1,970	2255	985	Extension for reply within fifth month	\$
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SUBTOTAL (1)

\$375	1401	320	2401	160	Notice of Appeal	\$
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2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY/ REISSUE

Extra Fee from Claims below	Fee Paid	1402	320	2402	160	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	\$
Total Claims /24/- 20** = / 4 / x / 9/ =	\$36	1403	280	2403	140	Request for oral hearing	\$

Independent Claims /2/- 3** = / 0 / x / / =

\$0	1451	1,510	1451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	\$
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Multiple dependent / / x / / =

\$	1452	110	2452	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	\$
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Large Entity Small Entity

	1453	1,300	2453	650	Petition to revive - unintentional	\$
	1501	1,300	2501	650	10 advance copies Utility issue fee (or reissue)	\$

1202 18 2202 9 Claims in excess of 20

	1502	470	2502	235	Design issue fee	\$
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1201 84 2201 42 Independent claims in excess of 3

	1503	630	2503	315	Plant issue fee	\$
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1203 280 2203 140 Multiple dependent claim if not paid

	1460	130	1460	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	\$
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1204 84 2204 42 **Reissue independent claims over original patent

	1807	50	1807	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)	\$
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1205 18 2205 9 **Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

	1806	180	1806	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Statement	\$
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SUBTOTAL (2)

\$36	8021	40	8021	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	\$
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	1810	750	2810	375	For each add'l invention to be examined(37 CFR 1.129(b))	\$
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	1801	750	2801	375	Request For Continued Examination (RCE)	\$
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	1802	900	1802	900	Request for Expedited Examination of a design application	\$
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